



STATE of MINNESOTA

Proclamation

- WHEREAS: Climate change threatens the very things that make Minnesota a great place to live, from our magnificent 10,000 lakes to our farmable land and clean air; and
- WHEREAS: Pollution and environmental degradation are already existing issues exacerbated by climate change, and access to these natural resources may depend on one's zip code, income level, or race; and
- WHEREAS: Minnesota should be at the forefront of finding innovative solutions to climate change; and
- WHEREAS: Investing in clean energy will create good-paying jobs, protect our clean air and water, and drive economic growth across Minnesota; and
- WHEREAS: Moving to a clean energy economy requires a just and equitable transition that addresses the needs of impacted workers and families and is inclusive of historically marginalized communities; and
- WHEREAS: Tackling climate change requires creative and courageous thinking from a variety of organizations, businesses, government entities, tribal nations, foundations, and nonprofits; and
- WHEREAS: The Walz Administration is committed to collaborative action and centering the people most affected by climate change as we work together.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TIM WALZ, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim September 23-29, 2019 as:

MINNESOTA CLIMATE WEEK

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 23rd day of September.

A stylized, handwritten signature of Tim Walz in black ink.

GOVERNOR

A stylized, handwritten signature of Steve Pimm in black ink.

SECRETARY OF STATE